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PATENT APPLICATION

In re application of

Taichi KOBAYASHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/698,219

Confirmation No.: 6374

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For: METHOD FOR THE SURFACE TREATMENT OF A FLUORINE RESIN, METHOD FOR
MAKING A LAMINATE, AND A LAMINATE

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 13, 2002, to February 13, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$930.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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